Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

1. 1. (currently amended) A method of depicting a plurality of items and how said plurality
   2. of items satisfy multiple criteria, the method comprising the computer-implemented
   3. steps of:
   4. displaying in a particular order a list of visual indicators, wherein the particular order
   5. indicates how [[a]] said plurality of items satisfy a first criteria;
   6. detecting input indicating the selection of a second criteria;
   7. in response to detecting said input, determining how said plurality of items satisfy the
   8. second criteria; and
   9. while retaining said particular order, displaying a visual indication of how said
   10. plurality of items satisfy the second criteria.

1. 2. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps further include
   2. a browser receiving a self-contained page; and
   3. wherein the steps are performed by said browser in response to executing said self-
   4. contained page, without said browser having to interact over a network with a
   5. server to determine how said plurality of items satisfy said second condition.

1. 3. (original) The method of claim 2, wherein the step of the browser receiving the self-
   2. contained page includes the browser receiving the self-contained page over the
   3. network from the server.

1. 4. (original) The method of claim 2, wherein the step of the browser receiving the self-
   2. contained page includes said browser causing said self-contained page to be read from
   3. removable computer-media.

1 5. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein the step of displaying a visual indication
2 includes displaying one or more other visual indicators visually associated with a
3 subset of items that satisfy said second criteria.

1 6. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein the step of displaying a visual indication
2 includes altering the visual appearance of one or more visual indicators from said list
3 of visual indicators.

1 7. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein
2 said first criteria is based on an alphabetic order of names associated with said
3 plurality of items; and
4 the particular order of the list of visual indicators indicates the alphabetic order of the
5 name of the items.

1 8. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein:
2 the step of detecting input indicating the selection of a second criteria includes
3 detecting input selecting a particular category of a plurality of categories; and
4 the step of displaying a visual indication of how said plurality of items satisfy a
5 second criteria includes displaying a visual indication of which items of said
6 plurality of items belong to said particular category.

1 9. (original) The method of claim 8, wherein said step of detecting input selecting a
2 particular category includes detecting that a user has selected said particular category
3 as a selection in a list box listing said plurality of categories as selections.

1 10. (original) The method of claim 1, wherein the steps further include:
2 detecting input indicating the selection of a third criteria; and
3 while retaining said particular order, displaying a visual indication of how said
4 plurality of items satisfy said third criteria, wherein said third criteria is
5 different from said second criteria.

1   11.   (previously presented) A method of generating a page this causes a browser to depict

2   a plurality of items and how said plurality of items satisfy multiple criteria, the

3   method comprising the computer-implemented steps of:

4   generating first page elements that cause said browser to display in a particular order a

5   list of visual indicators, wherein the particular order indicates how said

6   plurality of items satisfy a first criteria;

7   generating one or more second page elements that enable the browser to receive user

8   input indicating a selection of one or more criteria of a plurality of criteria;

9   in response to the browser receiving said input, determining how said plurality of

10   items satisfy the one or more criteria of the plurality of criteria; and

11   generating third page elements that cause the browser to display, for each particular

12   criterion of the plurality of criteria, a visual indication of how said plurality of

13   items satisfy said particular criterion, without changing said particular order,

14   in response to receiving user input indicating a selection of said particular

15   criterion.

1   12.   (original) The method of Claim 11, wherein:

2   the steps further include issuing a query to a database system that stores information

3   about said plurality of items, wherein said query requests data that may be

4   used to determine which set of items of said plurality of items satisfy a first

5   criterion of said plurality of criteria;

6   receiving results of the query from the database system; and

7   wherein the step of generating third page elements is based on an examination of the

8   results.

1   13.   (original) The method of claim 11, wherein the steps further include:

2   performing an examination of contents of said plurality of items to determine which

3   of said plurality of elements satisfy a particular criteria of said plurality of

4   criteria;

5   wherein the step of generating third page elements is based on said examination of

6   the contents.

1   14.   (currently amended) A computer-readable medium carrying one or more sequences of

2   instructions for depicting a plurality of items and how said plurality of items satisfy

3   multiple criteria, wherein execution of the one or more sequences of instructions by

4   one or more processors causes the one or more processors to perform the steps of:

5   displaying in a particular order a list of visual indicators, wherein the particular order

6   indicates how [[a]] said plurality of items satisfy a first criteria;

7   detecting input indicating the selection of a second criteria;

8   in response to detecting said input, determining how said plurality of items satisfy the

9   second criteria; and

10   while retaining said particular order, displaying a visual indication of how said

11   plurality of items satisfy the second criteria.

1   15.   (original) The computer-readable medium of claim 14, wherein the steps

2   further include:

3   a browser receiving a self-contained page; and

4   wherein the steps are performed by said browser in response to executing said self-

5   contained page, without said browser having to interact over a network with a

6   server to determine how said plurality of items satisfy said second condition.

1   16.   (original) The computer-readable medium of claim 15, wherein the step of the

2   browser receiving the self-contained page includes the browser receiving the self-

3   contained page over the network from the server.

1   17.   (original) The computer-readable medium of claim 15, wherein the step of the

2   browser receiving the self-contained page includes said browser causing said self-

3   contained page to be read from removable computer-media.

1   18.   (original) The computer-readable medium of claim 14, wherein the step of displaying

2   a visual indication includes displaying one or more other visual indicators visually

3   associated with a subset of items that satisfy said second criteria.

1   19.   (original) The computer-readable medium of claim 14, wherein the step of displaying

2   a visual indication includes altering the visual appearance of one or more visual

3   indicators from said list of visual indicators.

1   20.   (original) The computer-readable medium of claim 14, wherein

2   said first criteria is based on an alphabetic order of names associated with said

3   plurality of items; and

4   the particular order of the list of visual indicators indicates the alphabetic order of the

5   name of the items.

1   21.   (original) The computer-readable medium of claim 14, wherein:

2   the step of detecting input indicating the selection of a second criteria includes

3   detecting input selecting a particular category of a plurality of categories; and

4   the step of displaying a visual indication of how said plurality of items satisfy a

5   second criteria includes displaying a visual indication of which items of said

6   plurality of items belong to said particular category.

1   22.   (original) The computer-readable medium of claim 21, wherein said step of detecting

2   input selecting a particular category includes detecting that a user has selected said

3   particular category as a selection in a list box listing said plurality of categories as

4   selections.

1   23.   (original) The computer-readable medium of claim 14, wherein the steps further

2   include:

3   detecting input indicating the selection of a third criteria; and

4   while retaining said particular order, displaying a visual indication of how said

5   plurality of items satisfy said third criteria, wherein said third criteria is

6   different from said second criteria.

1   24.   (previously presented) A computer-readable medium carrying one or more sequences

2   of instructions for generating a page this causes a browser to depict a plurality of

3   items and how said plurality of items satisfy multiple criteria, wherein execution of

4   the one or more sequences of instructions by one or more processors causes the one or

5   more processors to perform the steps of:

6   generating first page elements that cause said browser to display in a particular order a

7   list of visual indicators, wherein the particular order indicates how said

8   plurality of items satisfy a first criteria;

9   generating one or more second page elements that enable the browser to receive user

10   input indicating a selection of one or more criteria of a plurality of criteria;

11   in response to the browser receiving said input, determining how said plurality of

12   items satisfy the one or more criteria of the plurality of criteria; and

13   generating third page elements that cause the browser to display, for each particular

14   criterion of the plurality of criteria, a visual indication of how said plurality of

15   items satisfy said particular criterion, without changing said particular order,

16   in response to receiving user input indicating a selection of said particular

17   criterion.

1   25.   (original) The computer-readable medium of Claim 24, wherein:

2   the steps further include issuing a query to a database system that stores information

3   about said plurality of items, wherein said query requests data that may be

4   used to determine which set of items of said plurality of items satisfy a first

5   criterion of said plurality of criteria;

6   receiving results of the query from the database system; and

7   wherein the step of generating third page elements is based on an examination of the

8   results.

1   26.   (original) The computer-readable medium of claim 24, wherein the steps further

2   include

3   performing an examination of contents of said plurality of items to determine which

4   of said plurality of elements satisfy a particular criteria of said plurality of

5   criteria;

6   wherein the step of generating third page elements is based on said examination of

7   the contents.